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Applicants: BI et al. Conf. No. 7216
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For: VARIABLE RATE FORWARD POWER CONTROL FOR MULTICHANNEL APPLICATIONS

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Technology Center 2600

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 21, 2002

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of January 3, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are in the present application. Reconsideration in view of the following remarks is kindly requested.

DRAWINGS

The Examiner has objected to the drawings, alleging that they should be labeled as prior art. Accordingly, Applicants attach a Drawing Correction Approval Request hereto, which labels each of Figs. 1-4 as "Prior Art" in red ink.